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In re Application of: Amit Phadnis et al.

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Title: Aggregation Devices Processing Keep-Alive Messages of

Point-to-Point Sessions

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

REQUEST FOR STATUS OF APPEAL

The last correspondence received from the United States Patent and Trademark Office was received in August 2008 advising that the Application had been assigned Appeal No. 2008-5300 in response to Appellant's Appeal Brief filed on April 17, 2007. To date, no other correspondence has been received. Appellant respectfully requests status on the pending appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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